

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

SANDRA BELLE RIOUX,)	
)	
Plaintiff,)	
)	
v.)	2:14cv1670
)	Electronic Filing
THOMAS GREENE and JOSEPH)	
STEPANSKY, JOSHUA ALFER,)	
BRIAN MORRIS, and unknown)	
McKeesport Officers,)	
)	
Defendants.)	

MEMORANDUM ORDER

AND NOW, this 23rd day of February, 2017, upon due consideration of defendants' motion for sanctions and the record as developed to date, IT IS ORDERED that [27] defendants' motion for sanctions be, and the same hereby is, granted in part as follows: this action is dismissed for failure to prosecute in a timely manner. A balancing of all relevant factors identified in Poulis v. State farm Fire and Casualty Co., 747 F.2d 863 (3d Cir. 1984), leads inescapably to the determination that such relief is warranted. Defendants' request for monetary costs in addition to the sanction of dismissal is denied.

s/David Stewart Cercone
David Stewart Cercone
United States District Judge

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